

**Reply Under 37 CFR 1.116 – Expedited Procedure – Technology Center 1700****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277  
Fumihiro HAYASHI, et al. : Confirmation Number: 4907  
Application No.: 10/587,281 : Group Art Unit: 1794  
Filed: July 25, 2006 : Examiner: Hai Vo  
For: EXPANDED POROUS POLYTETRAFLUOROETHYLENE FILM HAVING ELASTIC  
RECOVERY PROPERTY IN THICKNESS-WISE DIRECTION OF THE FILM,  
PRODUCTION PROCESS THEREOF, AND USE OF THE POROUS FILM

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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Sir:

The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action  
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